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For: MEDIUM ACCESS CONTROL PROTOCOL LAYER MODULE OF A MOBILE STATION IN A MOBILE AD HOC NETWORK AND METHOD FOR TRANSMITTING/RECEIVING FRAMES OF THE MODULE

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:


Pursuant to Applicant's continuing duty of disclosure, it is respectfully requested that the references listed in the attached form PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record in the above-identified application. A copy of each reference is attached hereto.

The citation of the listed items is not a representation that they constitute a complete or exhaustive listing of the relevant art or that the references are prior art. The items listed are submitted in good faith, but are not intended to substitute for the Examiner's search. It is hoped, however, that in addition to apprising the Examiner of these particular items, they will assist in identifying fields of search and in making as full and complete a search as possible.

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The listed items were cited by the Patent Office of the People's Republic of China in a counterpart application, namely Appln. No. 200410030040.7. A copy of the Chinese Office Action dated June 9, 2006 is attached hereto.

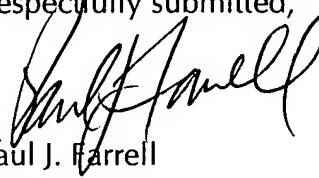
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The claims of the application as now presented are believed to patentably distinguish over the prior art and to be in condition for allowance. Early and favorable consideration of the case is respectfully requested.

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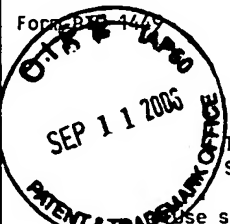
Applicant submits that each item of information contained in the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application no more than three months prior to the filing of the Statement.

Respectfully submitted,



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OTHER PRIOR ART (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

		1.	Tiantong You et al., Infrastructure-Based MAC in Wireless Mobile Ad-Hoc Networks, Proceedings of the 27 th Annual IEEE Conference on Local Computer Networks, 2002.
		2.	Wireless LAN Medium Access Control (MAC) and Physical Layer (PHY) Specifications, 1999 Edition.

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